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**NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD**

The Department of Human Resource Management, pursuant to the Request for Proposals (RFP #OHB03-2): Administrative Services & Fully Insured Health Plans published July 8, 2003 has decided to award contracts to Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield and Kaiser Health Plan Of the Mid-Atlantic States, Inc. to provide health benefit services to the Department.

An Administrative Services Only (ASO) contract will be awarded to Anthem for a state wide self-funded medical/surgical plan.

A contract for a fully insured regional Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) will be awarded to Kaiser.

All awardees provided proposals, which addressed all required areas in the RFP. The awards are based on the careful evaluation of all proposals and face-to-face negotiations with the offerors. The criteria weights were established prior to the evaluation of the proposals and were not changed thereafter.

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